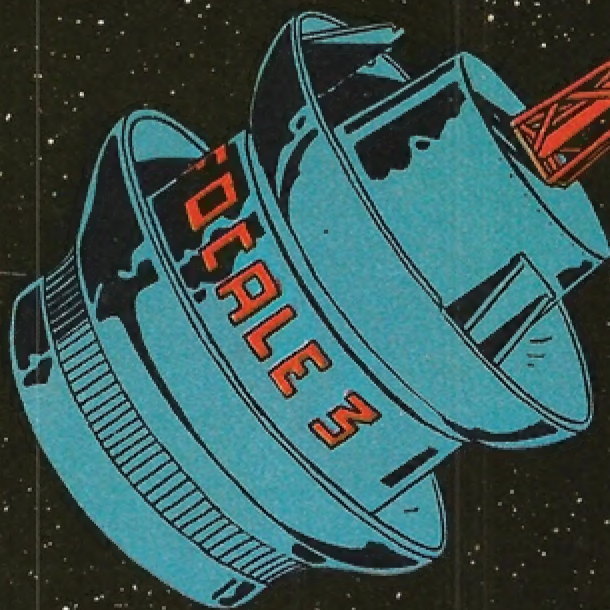


TRINITROMONOL SAVED OUR LOVE

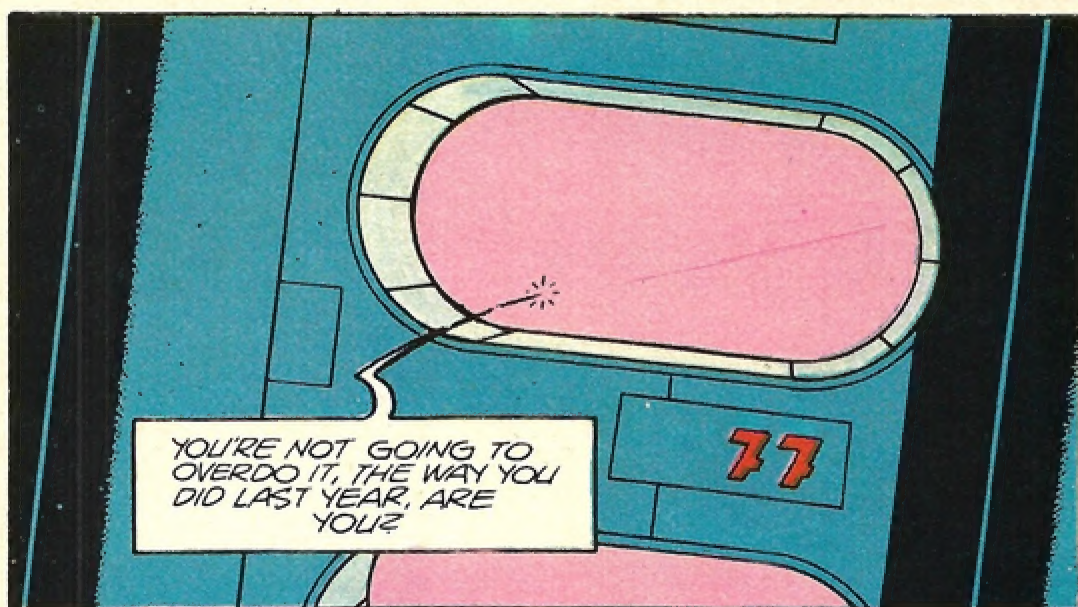


A NOVEL ABOUT OUR
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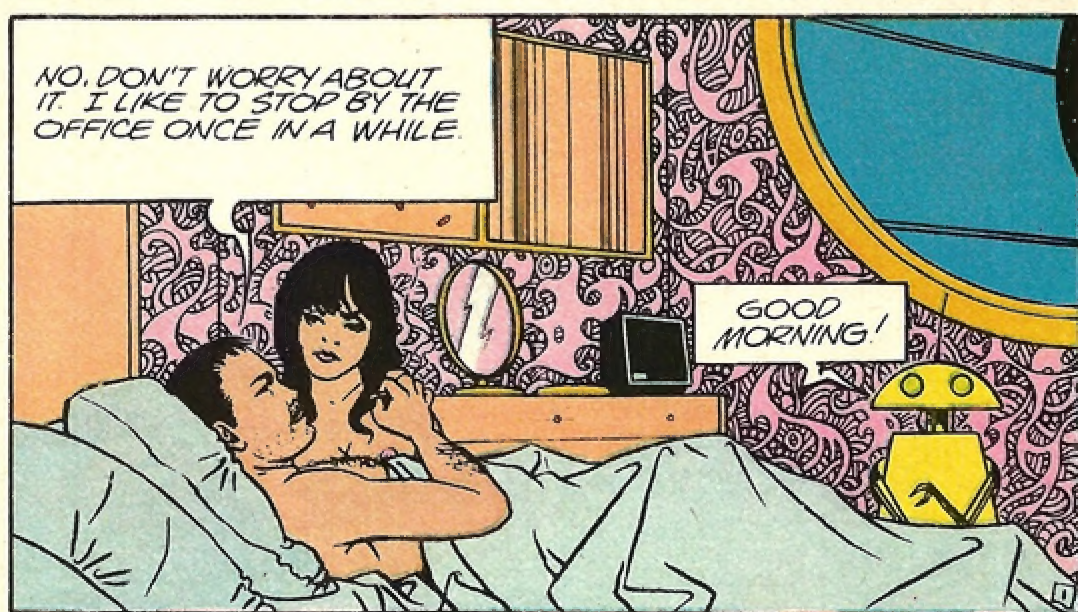
HONEY, IT'S ALREADY
11 O'CLOCK. HOW'S
ABOUT GETTING UP
NOW?



YEAH, I GUESS I'D
BETTER. I WANT TO GET
TO WORK EARLY THIS
MORNING.



YOU'RE NOT GOING TO
OVERDO IT, THE WAY YOU
DID LAST YEAR, ARE
YOU?



NO, DON'T WORRY ABOUT
IT. I LIKE TO STOP BY THE
OFFICE ONCE IN A WHILE.

GOOD
MORNING!



DEAR! YOU'RE HOME EARLY!

EVEN SICK, I LOVE HIM!

WHAT'S HAPPENING?
AREN'T YOU FEELING WELL?



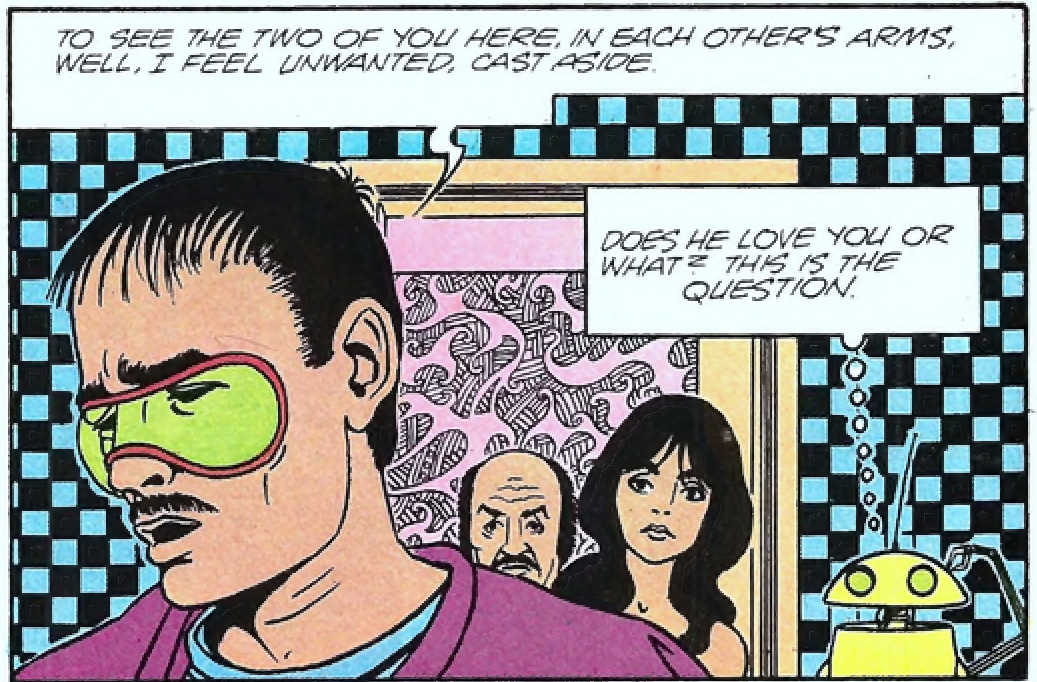
OH, HOW I LOVE HIM!

I'M NOT QUITE SURE. I FEEL ANXIOUS. THE TWO OF YOU THERE. I KNOW I SHOULD ACCEPT IT, BUT...

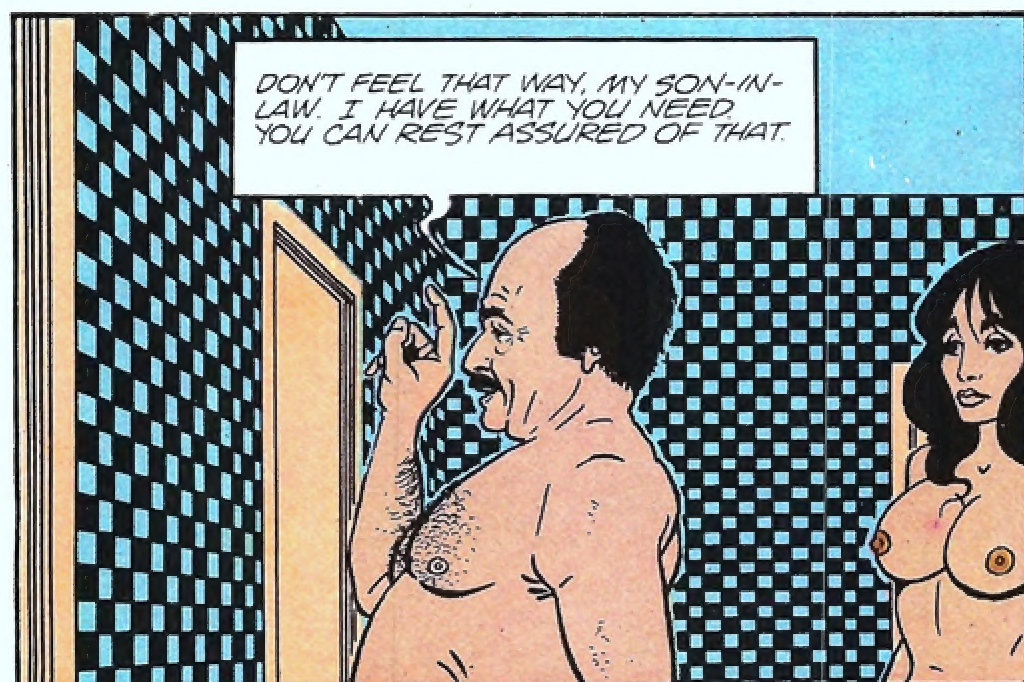


MY DEAR SON-IN-LAW, YOU DON'T LOOK WELL AT ALL. YOU SHOULD SEE A DOCTOR.

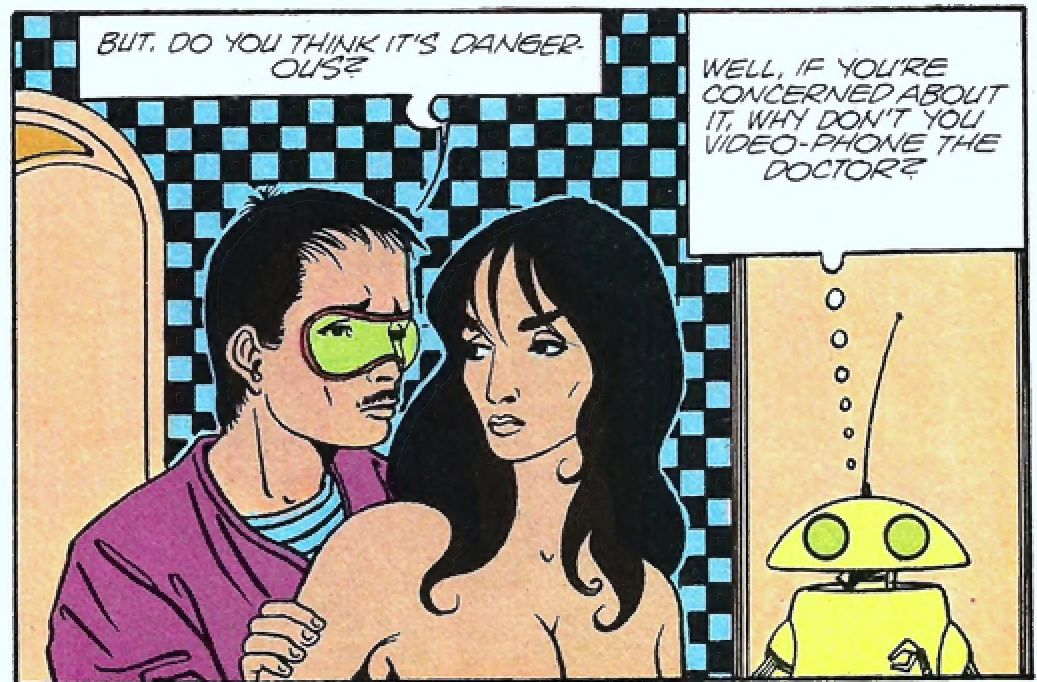
MAYBE YOU'RE RIGHT.
I'LL NEVER GET ONE AT THIS HOUR.



DOES HE LOVE YOU OR WHAT? THIS IS THE QUESTION.



DON'T FEEL THAT WAY, MY SON-IN-LAW. I HAVE WHAT YOU NEED. YOU CAN REST ASSURED OF THAT.

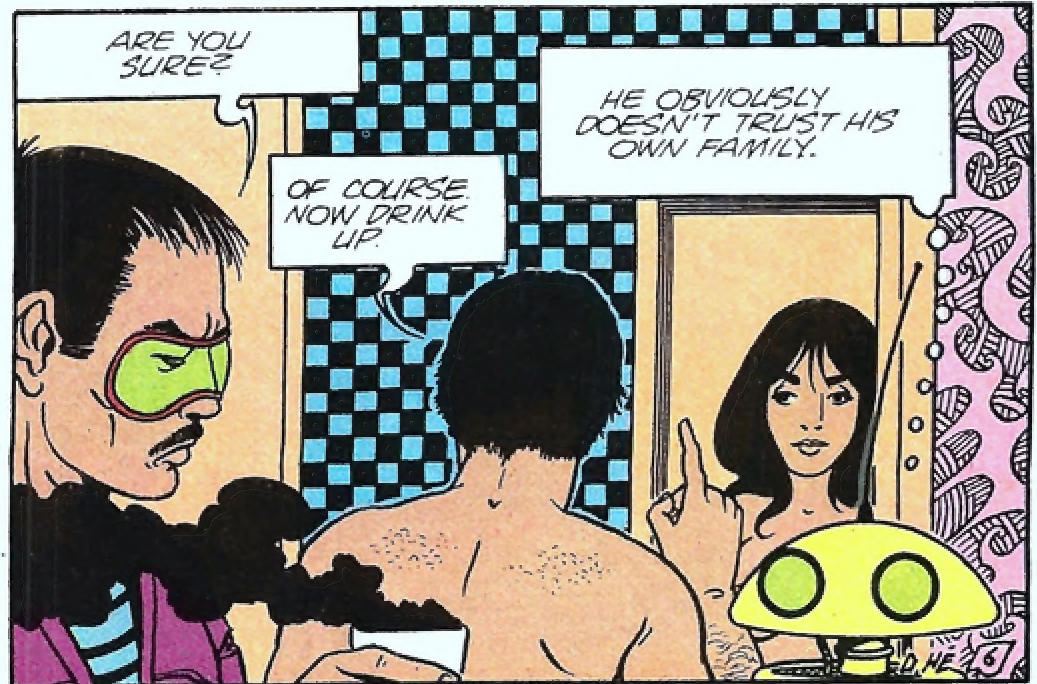


BUT, DO YOU THINK IT'S DANGEROUS?

WELL, IF YOU'RE CONCERNED ABOUT IT, WHY DON'T YOU VIDEO-PHONE THE DOCTOR?



A CAPSULE OF TRINITROMONOL SHOULD MAKE IT ALL RIGHT.

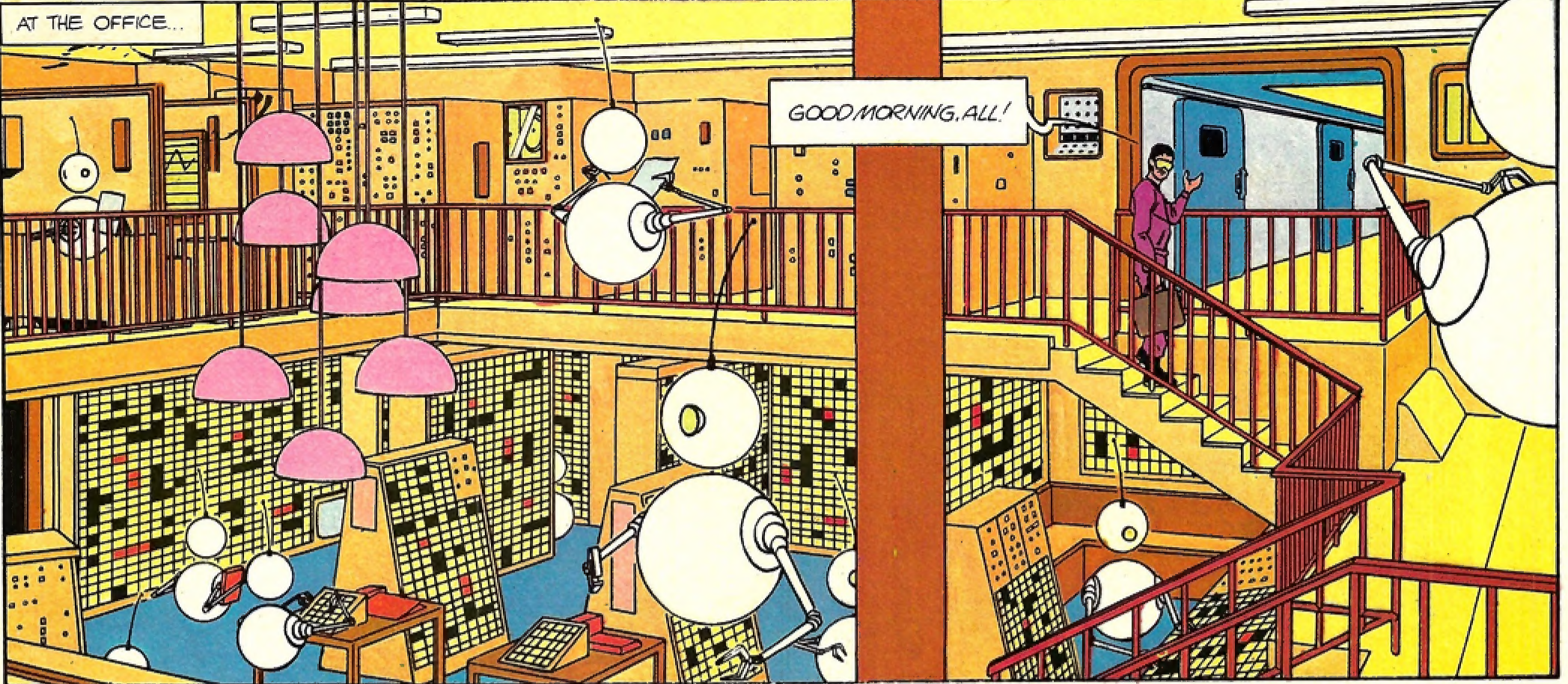


ARE YOU SURE?

OF COURSE.
NOW DRINK UP.

HE OBVIOUSLY DOESN'T TRUST HIS OWN FAMILY.

AT THE OFFICE...



GOOD MORNING, ALL!

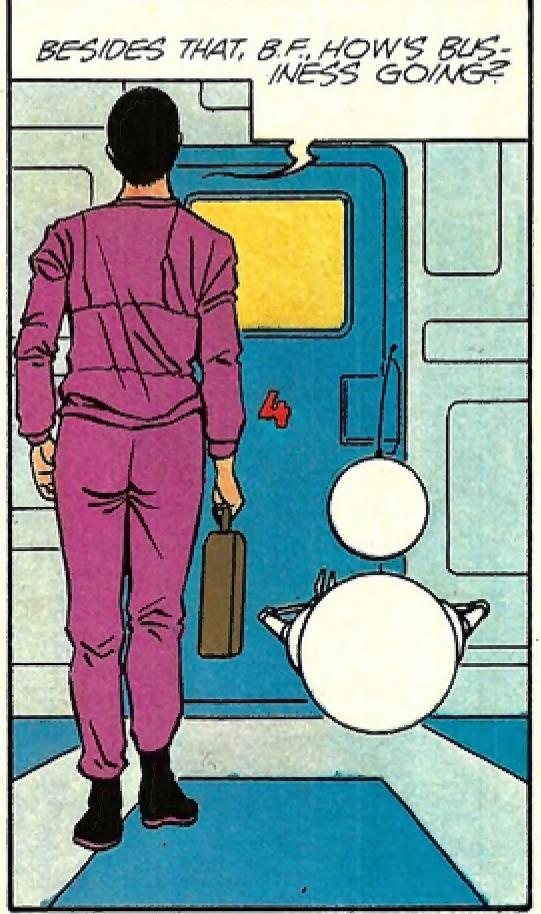


HELLO, MR. BUZZY! PLEASE DON'T MAKE TOO MUCH NOISE. MISS SCHMIDT JUST GOT IN, AND SHE'S TERRIBLY TIRED!

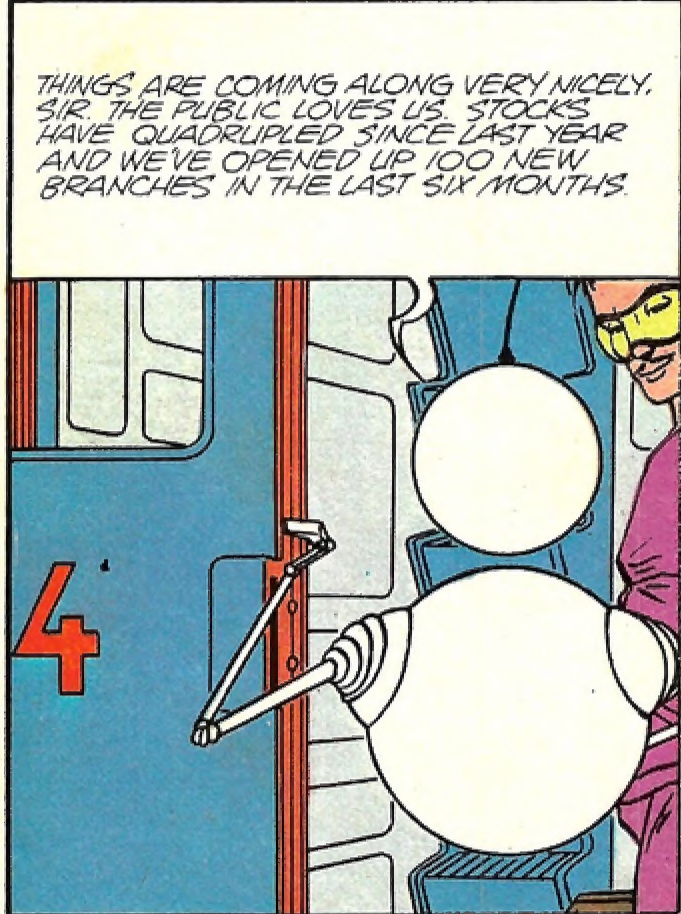


POOR GIRL. SHE GOT SO TIRED AT THE GIGG LAST YEAR. I GUESS SHE JUST CAN'T HACK IT.

THAT'S FOR SURE!



BESIDES THAT, B.F., HOW'S BUSINESS GOING?

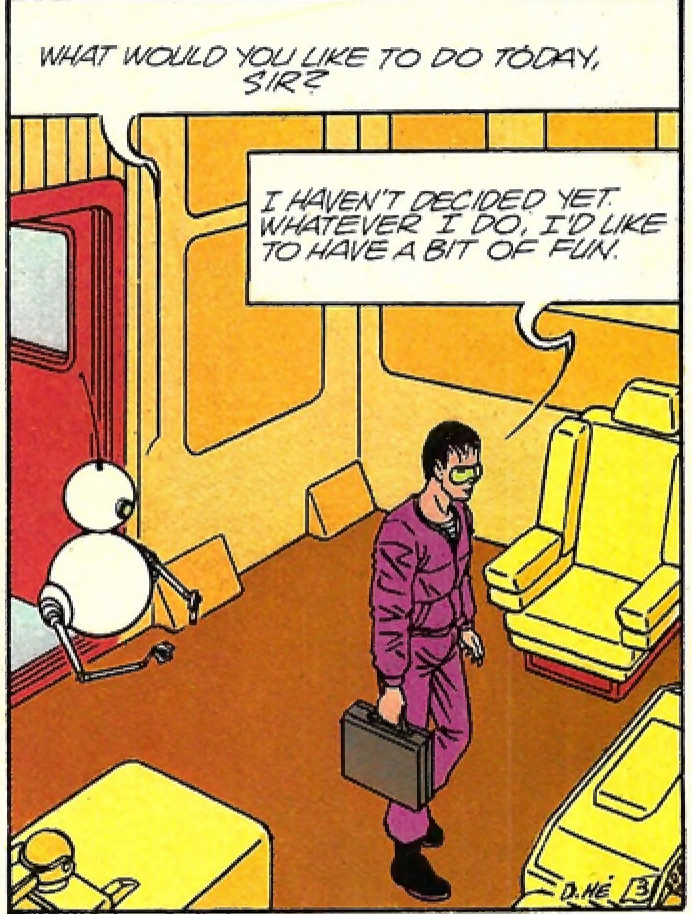


THINGS ARE COMING ALONG VERY NICELY, SIR. THE PUBLIC LOVES US. STOCKS HAVE QUADRUPLED SINCE LAST YEAR AND WE'VE OPENED UP 100 NEW BRANCHES IN THE LAST SIX MONTHS.



WELL, THAT SOUNDS MARVELOUS.

THAT'S PROGRESS FOR YOU, SIR. HONEST-TO-GOD WORK AND A LITTLE PERSEVERANCE.



WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE TO DO TODAY, SIR?

I HAVEN'T DECIDED YET. WHATEVER I DO, I'D LIKE TO HAVE A BIT OF FUN.

BY ALL MEANS. I'M GOING TO PLUG YOU IN TO A NEW CHANNEL. YOU'LL BE AMAZED AT SOME OF THE NEW GAMES WE'VE INSTALLED.

THAT'S TERRIFIC, B.F. STICK AROUND. I'LL CALL YOU IF I NEED YOU.

I AM AT YOUR DISPOSAL AT ALL TIMES. HAVE A GOOD DAY.

ONE HOUR LATER...

XEPHLON 13 MARKS C24.

POPULATION OF CERVISTAN EXTERMINATED CONGRATULATIONS. YOU HAVE WON!

BZZZZZZZZZ!

MY RESPECTS, NUMBER ONE!

HELLO, BUZZBY!

BUZZBY, AS YOU KNOW, THE INTENTION OF OUR SOCIETY HERE IS TO INSURE THE WELL-BEING OF OUR EMPLOYEES. YOU HAVE TIMED YOUR ARRIVAL TO THE OFFICES PERFECTLY. THE TRUSTEES HAVE AWARDED YOU A RAISE AND A PROMOTION.

WHY, THANK YOU VERY MUCH. WHAT WONDERFUL NEWS, NUMBER ONE.

DON'T THANK ME. YOU SHOULD THANK THE TECHNICAL PROGRESS THAT HAS ALLOWED OUR LITTLE SOCIETY HERE TO GET BETTER AND BETTER, DAY IN AND DAY OUT. GOOD-BYE FOR NOW, BUZZY.

GOOD-BYE,
NUMBER ONE.

I MUST TELL GILDA THE GOOD NEWS.

B.F., I'M GOING HOME.

FINE, SIR. I'LL GO AND GET YOUR PAYCHECK FOR YOU. CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR PROMOTION, SIR.

THANKS.

ON RETURNING TO THE CON-
NUBIAL CON-APT...

HELLO, PHINT. IS MADAME HOME YET?

YES, MASTER. SHE'S IN THE BEDROOM,
MAKING LOVE WITH
HER FATHER.

I LOVE YOU.

HELLO, MAS-
TER. GOOD
TO SEE YOU
EARLIER
THAN EX-
PECTED.

WHAT'S WRONG, MASTER. ARE YOU ILL?

I'M NOT QUITE SURE. CALL
MADAME IMMEDIATELY.

